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To: Public Hearing

Subject:

As a member of a small community currently being destroyed by the recent construction of a Super Wal-Mart, a Bank of Wal-Mart is just one step closer to a monopoly over all businesses in my small town. I attend the University of Minnesota-Twin Cities and because of the adverse effect Wal-Mart causes on the economy in my hometown, my parents are finding it harder and harder to put my brother and I through college and prepare as my sister nears college as well. A Bank of Wal-Mart will take too many quality jobs away from hard working people. It will only provide jobs with low wages and terrible benefits. America is a nation for the free. Giving Wal-Mart more power takes away our liberties to shop and bank where we would like by cutting out it's competitors. Please do not allow Wal-Mart to build up another damaging institution.